***(January 5, 2004)***

***Contractor Surveying - Structure***

Copies of the Contracting Agency provided primary survey control data are available for the bidder's inspection at the office of the Project Engineer.

The Contractor shall be responsible for setting, maintaining, and resetting all alignment stakes, slope stakes, and grades necessary for the construction of bridges, noise walls, and retaining walls. Except for the survey control data to be furnished by the Contracting Agency, calculations, surveying, and measuring required for setting and maintaining the necessary lines and grades shall be the Contractor's responsibility.

Detailed survey records shall be maintained, including a description of the work performed on each shift, the methods utilized, and the control points used. The record shall be adequate to allow the survey to be reproduced. A copy of each day's record shall be provided to the Engineer within three working days after the end of the shift.

The meaning of words and terms used in this provision shall be as listed in "Definitions of Surveying and Associated Terms" current edition, published by the American Congress on Surveying and Mapping and the American Society of Civil Engineers.

The survey work by the Contractor shall include but not be limited to the following:

1. Verify the primary horizontal and vertical control furnished by the Contracting Agency, and expand into secondary control by adding stakes and hubs as well as additional survey control needed for the project. Provide descriptions of secondary control to the Contracting Agency.

2. Establish, by placing hubs and/or marked stakes, the location with offsets of foundation shafts and piles.

3. Establish offsets to footing centerline of bearing for structure excavation.

4. Establish offsets to footing centerline of bearing for footing forms.

5. Establish wing wall, retaining wall, and noise wall horizontal alignment.

6. Establish retaining wall top of wall profile grade.

7. Establish elevation benchmarks for all substructure formwork.

8. Check elevations at top of footing concrete line inside footing formwork immediately prior to concrete placement.

9. Check column location and pier centerline of bearing at top of footing immediately prior to concrete placement.

10. Establish location and plumbness of column forms, and monitor column plumbness during concrete placement.

11. Establish pier cap and crossbeam top and bottom elevations and centerline of bearing.

12. Check pier cap and crossbeam top and bottom elevations and centerline of bearing prior to and during concrete placement.

13. Establish grout pad locations and elevations.

14. Establish structure bearing locations and elevations, including locations of anchor bolt assemblies.

15. Establish box girder bottom slab grades and locations.

16. Establish girder and/or web wall profiles and locations.

17. Establish diaphragm locations and centerline of bearing.

18. Establish roadway slab grades and provide dimensions from top of girder to top of roadway slab. Set elevations for deck paving machine rails.

19. Establish traffic barrier and curb profile and alignment on roadway slab.

20. Profile all girders prior to the placement of any deadload or construction live load that may affect the girder's profile.

The Contractor shall provide the Contracting Agency copies of any calculations and staking data when requested by the Engineer.

To facilitate the establishment of these lines and elevations, the Contracting Agency will provide the Contractor with the following primary survey and control information:

1. Descriptions of two primary control points used for the horizontal and vertical control. Primary control points will be described by reference to the project alignment and the coordinate system and elevation datum utilized by the project. In addition, the Contracting Agency will supply horizontal coordinates for the beginning and ending points and for each Point of Intersection (PI) on each alignment included in the project.

2. Horizontal coordinates for the centerline of each bridge pier.

3. Computed elevations at top of bridge roadway decks at one-tenth points along centerline of each girder web. All form grades and other working grades shall be calculated by the Contractor.

The Contractor shall give the Contracting Agency three weeks notification to allow adequate time to provide the data outlined in Items 2 and 3 above. The Contractor shall ensure a surveying accuracy within the following tolerances:

| | Vertical | Horizontal |
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| 1. Stationing on structures | | ±5 millimeters |
| 2. Alignment on structures | | ±5 millimeters |
| 3. Superstructure elevations | ±3 millimeters variation from plan elevation | |
| 4. Substructure | ±5 millimeters | |

variation from
Plan grades.

The Contracting Agency may spot-check the Contractor's surveying. These spot-checks will not change the requirements for normal checking by the Contractor.

When staking the following items, the Contractor shall perform independent checks from different secondary control to ensure that the points staked for these items are within the specified survey accuracy tolerances:

Piles
Shafts
Footings
columns

The Contractor shall calculate coordinates for the points associated with piles, shafts, footings and columns. The Contracting Agency will verify these coordinates prior to issuing approval to the Contractor for commencing with the survey work. The Contracting Agency will require up to seven calendar days from the date the data is received to issuing approval.

Contract work to be performed using contractor-provided stakes shall not begin until the stakes are approved by the Contracting Agency. Such approval shall not relieve the Contractor of responsibility for the accuracy of the stakes.

### *Payment*

Payment will be made in accordance with Section 1-04.1 for the following bid item when included in the proposal:

"Structure Surveying", lump sum.

The lump sum contract price for "Structure Surveying" shall be full pay for all labor, equipment, materials, and supervision utilized to perform the work specified, including any resurveying, checking, correction of errors, replacement of missing or damaged stakes, and coordination efforts.